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MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE, SATURDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 19, 1874.

Time Tables. PHILADELPHIA WILMINGTON AND

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Delaware Division Time Table.

ARRANGEMENT!!

PHILADELPHIA

Capt. P. Reybold, Leaves Se Wednesday and Friday. Leave Tuesday, Thursday and Satur

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, OCTOBER 26th, 1874

WILMINGTON AND READING

# BAILROAD.

Summer Arrangement.

ngton, with trains on Philadel-ngton & Baltimore, and Dela-ds; at Chaddsford, with trains bia & Baltimore Central Rail-

teamer "TRUMPETER" will, on

### ng our very best. mar 1-ly WM. CUNDIFF, Capt. REGISTER'S ORDER.

New Castle County, Oct. 19th, 1874.
Upon the application of Lydis: C. Alston and Wm. P. Norris, Administrators of Jons Laron, late of St. Georges Hundred in said jounty, deceased; it is ordered and directed y the Register that the Administrators aforesided give notice of the greatifine of Pattern.

NOTICE, and A

All persons having claims against the Es-tate of the decreased must present the same, duly attacked to the Administrators on or be-fore October 19th, 1875, or abide the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided:

# 781 Select Boetry.

"GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY."

A creature wan and wild, a form too small for a weman, In feature too old for a child Was stamped on her pale young face t seemed long years of suffering Must have left that silent trace.

"You look not like an offender, And I hope that you can show The charge to be false. Now; tell Are you guilty of this, or no?" Was at first her sole reply ;

And my little brothers and sisters Were hungry and asked for bread By working hard all day, But somehow the times were hard, sir, And the work all fell away.

I am guilty, but do not condemn; I took—oh! was it stealing? The bread to give to them."

Graybeard and thoughtless youth— Knew, as he looked upon her, That the prisoner spoke the truth. Out from their pockets came 'herchief Out from their eyes sprung tears, and out from old, faded wallets

le seemed, on a simple quest Sorely puzzled just then.

When at last these words they he
"The sentence of this young prisons
Is for the present deferred."

And no one blamed him or wondere And tenderly led from the court-re Himself, the "guilty" child!

## Select Story.

FIFTY THOUSAND MILLIONS.

ESS TO A YOUNG KENTUCKIAN-THE ARABIAN NIGHTS.

Decomposition of the Alberty Berning Journal.

DIAMANTINA, Brazil, Nov. 10, 1874.

The hour is midnight, and I have for which the bride is said to have a just come in a trifle jaded, but before retiring I propose, while yet the facts are visid in my mind, to give you some was a necklace that deserves to rank secount of a wedding I attended this among the enumerated wonders of the it are the last expression of nature at vening. It was a wedding, I make world. Sixteen years ago, soon after her loveliest, reinferced by art at its old to say, the like of which was never Malia's birth, he began to collect the Throckmorton, a native of Kentucky, past five years, has been successfully mgaged in railroading in this country, mond, which cost the Duke of Orleans, with headquarters at Rio Janeiro. Da according to history, \$674,000, and Sourse Cabral is principal ewner of nine which Napoleon at one time wore en of the richest dismond mines in South his sword hilt. He was baffled in this gate, be derives an annual income on not less than \$20,000 000. His interests in gold mines probably amounts to see much more, and I am cognizant of the fact that last August he sold a one-tenth interest in the celebrated estimated under oath (in some legal proceedings before court in Minas Gerses) at the enormous sum of \$50,gow alone yield over £150,000 annually. In 1868 he purchased the the wedding, the diamonds, ent, carved, patent of a machine for making cyclete, set on a golden string, and all ready to day the machine is extensively used all Cabral. I happened to be present allude to the decorations of the four who in her turn was in love with a set over the world, and Cabral draws when Malia first was shown the neck-walls. They were one mass of full-\$2,500 a day from this source alone. And then there are his sewing machine married. She wore a black silk at the ceiling, and a good sized diamond was coyalties that yield him something over time, and her father, after throwing 5,000 a day. [The correctness of the brilliants, that contrasted so strongly his last item is vouched for by a friend with the color of the dress, over her of mine, who is the manager of the leading sewing machine company in Brazil.] Indeed, it is easy to tell what he is interested in, but hard to think of something that is anything in which

was literally a way of flowers-not his steamship stock, and probably twice that I am able to state the exact figures. cook elear-headed man of sixty; a x fee high, straight as an arrow, with an eye querable boldness, and an apparent inccdented. The flower bill for the wed-capacity for blundering, Da Souza ding-exclusive of the item of hand Cabral stands to-day the wealthtest bouquets—amounted to \$50,000. But man on the globe. He was lately ask-But the father of the worth-presuming that I could realise red that so long as it was on all my property-\$50,000,000,000." marriage he was celebrating, he would send her out of her home to the steam that as he spoke I felt something very carriage that was to carry her away like pity for him. I could not help but think now specially difficult it to be imitated in the future history of to be imitated in the future history of might be for him to satisfactorily solve made of expense, was quite in keeping marriages in South America. The the problem of the el and the with all the other features. I allade to being for "the best that can be had for gold," and the bill for the item amount

bride's heart with 1,000 yards of point and the result was a case of love at first lace: 365 marning afternoon and evening costumes, one for each social divi-sion of every day in the year; and, to ing capitals of the world and the more they were sent to their favored recip ments to her own room key of solid gold, was exquisitely other designs appropriate to the occaip as could be built on the tion lies beside me as I write, and Clyde, with full complement of sailors catch the delicate scent of the sandal and with salaries paid in advance for Arabisa borses, and, this as a joke, 1,000 pounds of caramels, a confection for which the bride is said to have a

ed to the enormous sum of \$568,500

After the bridal party entered the train

the shawls were gathered up, and to-morrow they will be distributed among

the poor of the district.

had all Europe, Asia and Africa ran-sacked in behalf of the proposed necklace, and at one time actually made avertures for the celebrated Pitt dia-mond, which cest the Duke of Orleans, attempt, however, much to his disapmitting hunting he at last got together thirty of the largest and purest diamonds in the world, no one of which was much inferior to the Pitt gem. Taking these to Amsterdam, he sum stated what he desired—which was that each of the thirty stones should have a fautastic face cut upon it Amsterdam at first said that the task was more than herculean—that it was impossible. But one of them was imported from Paris, when Cabral stated the stupendous sum is cased in mosaic, and claborately he was willing to pay for the fulfillment finished in gold, silver, and a variety of his wishes, Amsterdam reconsidered of precious stones. The hundred boxes and consented to do its best. It did cost as many thousand dollars. The its best for five years, day and night, drawing room in which the Kentuckian and the result was that a week before and his "dark Brazilian bride" were wade one Ach had one feature in its adornment which elicited the most ferembrace the anowy neck of the bride, went expression of delight and ameze-were placed in the hands of the jubilant ment from all who were present. I lace, a couple of days before she was he is not. It would be a pussle to mame a leading railroad in South locomotive." This necklace cost Da America or England in which he has Soura Cabral, stones, cutting, and WORK At home, male or female; \$35
FOR ALL capital. We send valuable paskage of goods by mail free. Address with not a stake. He takes in something carving, \$116,000 980.88. Cabral over a million and a half a year from showed me the receipts yesterday, so

least very materially modified, but which, nevertheless, in the meck it festivities. On the velvet lawn just outside the Cabral mansion, a dozen or evening were it not for the fact that otherwise the account that follows of ican peach basket—each one of which was heaped to the brim with the gold coin of the country. The drivers as they dropped their loads had their at-tention called to the currency in the vases, and were cordially invited to help to call it. He came to Brazil with a

themselves.

the imputation of marrying the fair

ents each in its dainty box of sandal

for this wedding, at Canton. Each one of them was furnished with a lock and

The residence of the great Dian

Diamantina, which is, you know, the

pletely hidden from view in moss, play-

ed a soft and dreamy accompaniment to

posed especially for the nuptial night

Lisst. He received a draft of \$25,000

for his witching work, and who shall

no one that listened to the music. The

right, and since has prospered famously, so that to-day he cannot be worth less than \$6,000,000. But a poor pittance in comparison with his father-in-law's As often as the vager were emptied they were promptly replenished by ser-vants detailed for that purpose. One overwhelmingly gigantic fortune, but of the heekmen responded so heartily still quite sufficient to relieve him from to the invitation that when the time Malia Cabral for money. He met her first a year ago at a ball at Pernambuco, was forced to request his two passen-gers to favr him by taking a seat on the box. He explained, not without blushes and stammering, that the inside of graceful, lovely faced brunette.

The invitations were written on parchment by artistic hands, in quaint text, exquisitely filluminated Instead of being enclosed in paper envelopes, taken so many had it not been for the thought of a sick wife at home. Having listened to him, his load, before sal, who was so toughed at the mention of the sick wife that, on sudden imand in a short time the snug sum o joyful occasion. When the \$50,000 dial for your ailing wife, my man," as

claring that there never was such a man in the world as Da Sousa Cabral. the broker apparently at leisure, asked him to look at her books. The gentleby the thousands, each caught and held in its place by a bronze figure, flooded the rooms within and the miles of grounds without with a coft yet briliant light. Here and there, on the green slepes, or in the rustic bowers, or at the edge of some romantic ravine, large music boxes, imbedded and completely hidden from view in moss play. to have you read some portions of it ing traker took the volume, and, glanc-ing at the title page, commenced a pe-rusal of the introduction. This finished, he began at the first chapter, and aigns of nervousness, which were apnever raised his eyes from the volume but read steadily on. Eleven o'clock came, and the lady began to walk rathsay that he did not earn it? Certainly er smartly about the room, glaneing octhe broker was still reading, and the agent wore a decidedly troubled couno'clock the broker laid the book down, leisurely donned his overcoat and hat, and remarked blandly. That is a very good book. I am sorry that I cannot read more of it, but I am obliged to go to dinner. If you will call in this af-

ternoon, I will read some more of it." Paris became enamored of an actress, blown white camelias from floor to er. The lover thought the price, 20, inserted in the centre of each to can- and the lady, calling on the jeweler ningly counterfeit the dew drop. The effect was simply ravishing. It is estimated that the adomnuest of this one was accordingly closed, who, on his room called for an expenditure of not way to the house of his charmer, with less than \$19.000,000. No diamond the gift was met by a friend who sham was given the role of the dew drop that was not white, and perfect as the bosom of a star."

A PARIL OF PLOWARS.

which always accompanies her.

Result of the Grasshopper Plague. Ro

onsty, visiting on the way every cabin or house that had the appearance of an absence of stock and supplies, getting, from a personal knowledge and conversation with heads of families, their actual condition. Many af the houses I found abandoned. On march I discovered two march is the stange with that repulsive air the marks the wicked lied. He sits muthing cell now that he has been captured to the cutting of the cutting o beauty I ever gased upon.

There was one feature of the we

> during winter, and in the spring the the settlers, in case the buffalo returned within reasonable distance and they de-

> > county, would require aid before the winter months were half out; that full three hundred would need assistance attempting to hunt buffaloes, and they The few hogs and pigs I saw were mere table is a quaint affair. It is a tr roots they found in the Omaha Herald, Nov. 12.

script in the British Museum (Addl. 28,561) contains an account of the travels of a certain Priest, named Torkington, who, is the reign of Hear VIII., made the pilgrimage to Jarnas. lem. He reached "Cambery" on Hely Thursday, 1517, having passed, with difficulty, over "an ill and grevews mount, called Mount Gobelyn." On the following morning, being Good Friday, he attended services, and "hard a flamus sermon of a Doctor." Clergymen who complain of want ficeks who complain of dullness in their pastors, should read Torkington's ac-count of this "famus sermon." It began at "y of the cloke in the mornyng, and contynyed tull it was ix the cloke;" and the preacher alternately held in his hand as he spoke, a "balys," "schorge," and a crown of thorns, both yong and old, they fell downs upon ther knes, and cryd with lamentable voce." Some extracts from Torkington's manuscript, were printed in an old volume of the Gentleman's Magasine, but the whole book may be re-commended to the notice of the Camden

Station where he "aquealed," and gave not only a history of his former life, and premised to reform, but gave elec-to the Police valuable information

confined last Monday morning, and the child died yesterday. To-day she call-ed at the Station to see her busband. others, 15 cents a night for lodging, and deposited his "curplus wag" with the owner of the den." This countrel tresses, crasy with the vilent kind of rum. He also boards them and his inquired a boy of a candy dealer. which is gathered by vagrant beggars, and this is softened with water, sour beer and ale. To this trough the boys

business is dull, the proprietor of the "Shebang" gives 'his boys" shevels and sends them out to shovel of show from the pavements, with directions to make all they can bonestly, and steal

make all they can nonnear,
all they can conveniently.

John Webster says he can read and
write and has a decided teste for yellow-covered literature. He thi Claude Duvale Joe Blueskin, J Shoppard, and Sixteen String Jack, are the great examplers for American

and I was saving up to buy a horse. For months past I have been practicing with the lasso, and I am now perfect at it. I wanted to get a fast horse and hen I would go out on the road and lasso farmers and rob them. I wanted to be a real gallus highwayman and uo

row," said he with a knowing leer. "You are only a boy. How could you

One of the old settlers at the Isles of shoats seeing the name of Psyche on he hull of a yacht, the other day, spelled it out slowly, and then exclaimed: Well, if that ain't the durndest way to spell fish t'

When a well-known Omaha thief meets a policeman and hands him five dollars, it is the duty of the officer to go and sit down in an alley and see nothing for the next hour—nething but the five dollars.

Two men are seeking for divers

er nose the other day, and every p.
f glass in the square was alasticod.
'How long will it be becoming

During the canal sea there were 7017 boats of

ton, New Hampshire, are so much dis-couraged by their leases by the recent fire, that there is a probability of the town not being rebuilt.

four fer three cents, three fer two for one cent, one for me

An old tax warrant, just die sets forth that Joseph Bonaper taxed in 1821 3160 for 1600 a land, by Nathan Satterthwaite, then as sessor of Hordentown, N. To The exassessor in atill living, and says, he save it on a little, as Bony was rich and could stand it. It and it days and could stand it. It and it days and

of food in Great Britain and Ireland In addition to the very large number imported from the Continent, it is not mated there are annually bred for fo 27,000,000 rabbits. The flow is 27.000,000 random at an average rate of twelve con per pound, which is fully, a far the price of heef, and consideral der that of the choicer position theep. The value of the annual supplies estimated to be 47 275 no.

by Paris police and advertised by was a bride. The advertisemen There was found gesterday at a bride, eighteen years; blue black hair. Can be obtained on cation at police bendguarters."
was a country girl who came to
with her betrothed to get married,
took a onb at the station... On the to the church the min got out to make some purchase. The driver was tipay, and, instead of waiting, drove on, as SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1874.

### To Our Subscribers.

the first of January next, the pubthrough the mails out of the county in which they are published. Many of the city publishers are adding a sufficient amount to the subscription price of their papers to cover the postage. We do not wish to do this. We will teep the price of the TRANSCRIPT what now, and pay the postage ourpromptly in advance. They do this

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THE ADDUCTORS SHOT.

Two men were shot and killed while attemping to commit a burglary in the house of Ex-Judge Van Brunt, at Bay Ridge, Long Island, N. Y., last Sun-day night. The house that they enlarms connected it with the adjoining esidence of a brother of the judge. The members of this family at once armed themselves with shot guns and revolvers and attacked the robbers.

The latter attempted to escape, but being closely pursued turned at bay and made a desperate resistance. One was killed on the spot, and the other so badly injured that he died in a short time. Before dying, however, the latter made a startling confession, to the effect that he and his dead companion were the abductors of the little boy, Charlie Ross, from Germantown last July. The fellow whose name was Joseph Douglass declared that he died

the House refused to lay it upon the table, and the matter was postponed until Monday. Various bills were introduced, among them one supplementary to the Civil Rights act. The Legislative Appropriation bill was considered. The committee to visit Vickaburg and inventigate the affairs of Louisians and other Southern States, were announced

Tusnay. Scate:—Several new bills

The Middletown Granscrint the West shall not loge their filles

black hearts, have been infiguring the steads.

Houset.—Various bills were introduced, among them the following: by Mr. Starkwasther, of Connecticut. repealing the acts imposing stamps on checks; by Mr. Albright, of Pa., to establish free banking, and retire the legal tenders; by Mr. Spear, of Pa., reduce the letter postage to one cent: by Mr. Spear, of Pa., reduce the letter postage to one cent: by Mr. Whitely of Georgia, for a commission favore-extended to me, as the emposion of the second status of the second status of the late disturbanks at Wellsborough, Pa., and r. is a close without expressing the obligation of the late disturbanks at Wellsborough, Pa., and r. is a close without expressing the obligation. If the key used bank funds is so made as to be senal letter postage to one cent: by Mr. Whitely of Georgia, for a commission to investigate the political and legal condition of the Southern States; by Mr. Fink, of Ohio, to repeal the act requiring pre-payment of newspaper postage; and by Mr. Harris of Georgia, allowing the payment of one half of all import duties in legal tenders or National bank notes. A resolution was adopted providing for the appointment of a committee of five to investigate the trouble at Vicksburg. The Senate resolution for a committee of the Hawaiian King was concurred in, and Mesers Orth. E. R. Hoar and S. S. Cox were appointed on the part of the House.

Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY.

Chafite Ross, from Germentown last July. The fellow whose name was Joseph Douglass declared that he did not know the whereabouts of the minsing boy, as the other man, whose name he gave as William Mosher, kept him concealed, but that he was in the possession of the latter's wife. Taking this new clue the police have gone to work with renewed seal for the discovery of the long lost child.

Proceedings of Congress.

Mostax—Senate — A bill was introduced by Mr. Conkling to consolidate the debt of the District of Columbia, and issue United States bonds in exchange for those of the District. Mr. Wright, of Iowa, presented constitutional amendments proposing that the President and Vice-President shall be resident and to the District was concurred in. The bill for the relief of sufferers from the 23d inst., to the 5th of January was adopted—yeas 128, nays 128. A motion to reconsider being made, the House refused to lay it upon the table, and the matter was postponed and il Monday. Various bills was considered. The committee the refuse and investigate the affairs of Louisiana and other Southern States, were announced

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Representatives of the State will secure his services, as Sergeant at Arms, at the ensuing session. Certainly no bet-ter selection could be made.

Dec. 17th, 1874. More Anon.

I carry him presents, &c., and shall see and study his country. You must not expect to hear from me for many months. Your affectionate son.

Charles.

NEW CIVIL RIGHTS BILL House Judiciary Committee agreed on Thursday upon a supplementary Civil Rights bill. It omits the clause relating to cemeteries, and provides for seperate schools, with a pro rata divis-ion of the school fund. The penalties for violation of the law, instead of be ing cumulative, are either civil his bill as a substitute. This bill doe not prohibit separate accommodations in schools, hotels and public conveyances, but requires equal equipment for both classes.

## Hew Advertisements.

NOTICE. WY

THE Annual Meeting of the Farmers' Mu-tual Fire Insurance Company of St. Georges and Appoquinimisk Hundreds, will be held in the Hotsi of Edward Silcox, Jr., Esq., in Odessa, Delaware, MONDAY, THE 5th OF JANUARY, 1875

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SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1874.

### Local and State Affairs.

A fire broke out in a frame building on Lockegman street, in Dever, belonging to Mr. James Brans, on Friday night of last week, and spreading rapidly, despite the efforts of the citizens, soon destroyed the entire building which was occupied by Mr. A. J. Wright, as a provision store; Mr. W. B. Smith, as a jewelry store, and Mr. H. W. Evans, as a cigar and newspaper store. The fire then spread to the notion store of Mrs. E. J. Hies, and a small frame building occupied by Miss

goods, but her house was burned, making her loss \$1000.

Blossom Grange, No. 3, held on Tuesday evening, the following were chosen to serve during the ensuing year: Master, A. P. Crockett; Overseer, Wm. R. Rothwell; Lecturer, H. A. Nowland; Steward, Harry Davis; M. W. W. W. Chenlein turer, H. A. Nowland; Steward, Harry Davis; Asst. Steward, M. N. Willits; Chaplain, John Oochran; Treasurer, E. R. Cochran; Secretary, Joseph Hanson; Gate Keeper, Charles P. Cochran; Cerea, Miss A. Warren; Pomoua, Miss Emma W. Buraham; Flora, Pomoua, Miss Emma W. Buraham; Flora, Miss Annie M. Boberts; Lady Asst. Steward, Mrs. C. R. Stites. These officers will be installed at the first regular meeting on the 5th

January next. AN ANA MO ANOT

Marrow Guage Railread.

The Republican is authority for the assertion that "able men who mean business are working up the Marrow Guage Railread between Wilmington and New Castle." There will be quite a "net work" of iron rails, when all the railways between New Castle. when all the railways between New Gasti and Wi'mington are built that "men wh meant business" have been "working up" during the last twenty years. The W. & N C. Narrow Guage Road will be built abou the same time that the Ship Canal is cu across the Peninsula. What's become of th

We are pleased to state that Attorney General Pennington has been reinstated as member of the Good Templars. He confesses his fault to his lodge at Dover and they have again taken him by the fand. We believe and hope he will prove worthy.—Republican We took no stock in the denunciation of

rection with the Bank of Delaware, of mington, died at his residence in that city fuesday meraing, in his 57th year. Mr. of a consecution with the Bank of Delaware in August 1836 as taller. In the word of the consecution with the Bank of Delaware in August 1836 as taller. In the evenings of the 20th and 21st of January services he benefit of the front "to improve the parsonage." They will give it a thorough repairing, which it greatly needs. than the notorious attempt was made to rob that bank in November 1873, and was bound and gagged by the burglars.

The directors of the Citizens' National Bank of Middletown, have had a strong from screen put up in their banking house this week for the better protection of the officers during the day. There have been numerous lestances where rufficas have entered backs in day light, and quieting the officers by means of leaded revelvers, robbed the vaults and money drawers. It is as security again such possible events as those that this sere

tal upsetting of a coal oil lamp by which lothes were set on fire last Monday evening. Her parents, who were present, did their atmost to tear her burning clothes of juries proved fatal next morning. MOULDINGS, PAIRTS OHIGH

James B. Clarkson, Eq., has bought out the Grain, Flour and Feed Store and coal yards of S. A. Whitlock & Co., and on the 1st of January will retire from the Citizens' National Bank, in which he has for several years held, and ably filled, the position o ness. We predict, as we wish, for him, suc

ark, has resigned the office of Justice of the Peace, so long and ably filled by him, and Governor Ponder has appointed Jas. Springer Esq., to the office. Messrs. Ray and Springer action of business as real estate agents unde

Mr. Jennings Hood, late super-intendent re-opered to on Monday morning, running a passenger train from Chestertown to Masseys. Trains will now rea regularly over the road counceting at Townsend with the Delaware Rail Road.

The protracted meeting and revival at the M. E. Church, of this town, continues with unabated interest, and the amount of good ecomplished is almost incalculable. lay night a very large congregation attendance, the house, galleries and

terian Church held a Centennial tea party their church on Thursday evening.

Wm. Slack, of Pencader Hundred, has sole

of which he, (Mr. B.) is chairman.

Bank, will be held on Tuesday, January 12th. Wonder if there will be as big a fuss made as

ity," Monday, that the Governor-elect had selected I. C. Grubb, Esq., of Wilmington, as At the regular monthly Mutual Loan Association (new plan) on Thursday evening, funds sold at 2,02 and

The Gazette and Every Evening each

lished copious extracts from the letter of ou accomplished New Castle correspondent o last week.

Mr. J. M. Horning, who was here a few years ago, has returned to Middletown with his photopraph car, and located himself on North Broad street.

A deer will be let loose, for a chase, at Newport, on Christmas morning. Whoever wants to have a deer hunt can de so by pay-

Isaac C. Pyle, Esq., member-elect of the Legislature, has leased the Clayton House for two years from the 25th of March next. Mr.

By the recent readjustment of postmasters' salaries, the posteffices at New Castle, Milford and Chestertown have been raised to the grade of Presidential appointments, and the salaries of the P.Ms increased to \$1000.

At Wm. M. Peters sale, near Concordville on Monday, Wm. D. Cornog bought a cew for \$82.50, and two horses were bid in at \$1.50 a piece. Either money is very scarce in that country, or those horses were desper-

A number of the trappers are their traps in the neighboring mea The "Service of Song" still retains its

lighting of our streets. A number of new lamps have been put up, which adds greatly to the accommodation of those who travel after nightfulf. It, however, is a "little

ascod to the chair. J.T. Badd was appointed de Secretary pro tem. Mr. Green reported that subscriptions to the amount of \$200 had been secured toward the establishment of a Reading Room. When on motion Mr. Joseph

authorised to collect said subscriptions.

Messrs. Wm. Green, W. F. Godwin, M. D. and F. Cox, Esq., were appointed committee to draft Constitution and By-Laws for the Association, and report list of periodicals for the room. Messrs. F. Cox, Charles Tatman, Jr., and N. Williams were appointed a committee to select and report a suitable room.

Messrs. A. G. Cox, Rev. Dr. Patton and Pr. T. H. Gilbin were appointed a committee. Dr. T H. Gilpin were appointed a committee to wait upon the Free Reading Room Society, and solicit their co-operation with this Asse-

Meeting adjourned to meet at same p.m. his evening at 8 o'clock, P. M. All persons

The third annual reunion of the First Dela-The third annual reunion of the First Delaware Regiment of Federal soldiers, was held in Wilmington on Monday afternoon. About 40 members were present. Cel. J. C. Nicholson presided, A letter was read from Gen. Dan. Woodall, stating his inability to be present on account of sickness in his family. The usual election for officers was held, resulting in the choice of Cel. Nichole for Pecci. sulting in the choice of Col. Nichols for President for the ensuing year. At 8} o'clock a banquet was spread at the Clayton House for the ex-soldiers, and they had an 'illegant time intirely" with toasts, songs and go

The Middletown Minetrels.

This company, whose entertainments were so highly pleasing to our citizens last winter, has been revived, and will give one of their inimitable boncerts in the Town Hall, in this town, on Thursday (Christmas Eve) next.

Shrewsbury Parish is building a chapel at Kent County, Md. The corner stone will be laid with due solemnities on the 31st inst., at

ms the merchants of Middletown have laid
th a splendid stock of goods of every description, and as they sell them at as low prices
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their desires can be gratified in Middletown.
S. M. Raynelds has just returned from the

As no one's property is at all times per-ectly safe against the ravages of fire, every-ody should previde against total loss by a udicious insurance of their buildings, so that if such a calamity as fire should befal them they would not lose their all at "one fell swoop." Messrs. Weolley & Van. Trump, of Wilming-

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Maryland Affairs.

positive ract of the immense carrying trade that would pass over the road, and the ex-ceedingly large number of passengers, espe-cially in summer, that would take this route to Rehoboth and Cape May, we cannot under-stand how capitalists will blindly stand by and see the profitable trade monopolized by other roads. Nine-tenths of the ship would be saved to our snippers annually in freight, and the route via the Maryland Steamboat line, thence by Dor. and Del. Railroad through to Georgetown, to Rehoboth and Cape May in summer would be decidedly one of the most pleasant and delightful trips, as well as the cheapest, that could be devised.

The Greffey Colored Methodist Protestant Church was dedicated at Codar Hill, Cecil county, on Sunday week, a large audience being in attendance. A number of white persons were also present, and a liberal con-tribution raised. The church is 24 by 40 feet, and nicely furnished.

ed people in Spaniard's Neck, Queen Anne's county, on Thanksgiving day, when Moses Evans assaulted Nathan Killson with an axe, dealing him several blows on the back and inflicting a wound on the leg. His case is

young fish. A large number of them have been deposited in Wye river, Tuckahoe ine county.

Hall Neck, Somerset county, was destroyed by fire on Wednesday last, very little of th

C. B. Cutler of Mount Pleas county, has sold his farm to parties in Phila-delphia for \$18,000, and John Benson has sold to Franklin Caldwell his small farm,

last, of paralysis. Dr. Powell was form a resident of Loudoun county, Virginia.

peake City, Cecil county,

Mrs. John Mearns, residing near Northeast Cecil county, was thrown from her carriage on Sunday night week, and had one of he arms severely fractured.

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A despatch from Rome says the Pope has stated that he trembles at the dangers menacing France.

Distressing Case of Drowning.

SAD FATE OF A BRIDE.

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Newark is to have a weekly paper, so says the Delaware Cellege Advence. Two young men are going to start one there about the lat of January next, to be called the Newark of January next, to be called the Newark Heraid. These are tight times to commence publishing a paper in a small place as near to large towns as Newark is to Wilmington and Eikton, but perhaps those young men, if they have plenty of energy, may succeed, and we beartily hope they will. We have a "tender spot" for old Newark, and take pleasure in anything calculated to increase he propagarity.

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